

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Examiner: Fortuna, José A

Group Art Unit: 1731

Re: Application of: Jouko KARHUNEN, et al.

Serial No.: 09/403,912

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For: METHOD AND EQUIPMENT FOR  
ATTENUATION OF OSCILLATION IN A PAPER  
MACHINE OR IN A PAPER FINISHING  
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September 11, 2003

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated March 11, 2003 rejecting claims 1-26.

The appeal fee of \$320.00 is submitted herewith. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500518. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

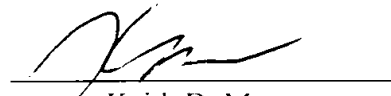
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